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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 26th March 2012 – 08:00, 27th March 2012

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	6	—	6	5 in Ramallah and 1 in Nablus including 2 critically wounded and another resident injured from settler attacks.
Physical Assault	1	—	1	Israeli forces assaulted resident in Bethlehem.
Detentions	9	—	9	2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 3 in Nablus and 3 in Bethlehem.
Temporary Detention	11	—	11	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Raids	19	1	20	1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 6 in Tubas, 2 in Qalqilya, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem, 4 in Hebron and 1 in Central Gaza.
Closure of Checkpoints	9	—	9	Access allowed at 2 checkpoints & impeded at 7 others
Flying Checkpoints	21	—	21	2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Jenin, 5 in Qalqiliya, 2 in Salfit, 2 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 7 in Hebron.
Attack	6	1	7	4 during raids, 2 during confrontations and 1 from military post.
Provocation of Palestinian Forces	1	—	1	Israeli forces confiscated a police vehicle at Al-Mahakam checkpoint in Al-Bireh city in Ramallah.
Home Demolition	7	—	7	Israeli forces demolished 7 residential barracks in Tubas.
Confiscation of Property	4	—	4	Israeli forces confiscated an excavator in Jericho and a hammer, a shovel and bucket in Bethlehem
Destruction of Property	5*	—	5	Israeli forces demolished 4 barracks in Tubas. Demolished construction of water well in Jericho and* served demolition notice of a water well in Hebron.
Land Levelling	—	1	1	Israeli forces levelled a plot of land in Central Gaza.
Wall Construction	15	—	15	3 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarm, 3 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 3 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Closure (per District)	8	—	8	Incl. 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem &

				5 in Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	66	—	66	3 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 4 in Tulkarm, 2 in Qalqiliya, 9 in Nablus, 3 in Salfit, 1 in Jericho, 21 in Bethlehem, 19 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	4	4	Rafah crossing open is open for the exit of patients, students and passengers with permits. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) crossing open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas, 20 imported vehicles and construction material for internationally funded projects.
Obstruction of Medical Sector	1	—	1	Israeli forces prevented Palestinian paramedics from reaching injured Palestinians in Ramallah.
Settler Violence	4	—	4	Israeli settlers raided Jenin and Qalqiliya. Israeli settlers stoned residents in Nablus
Demonstration	1	—	1	In solidarity with detainees.
TOTAL	194	7	201	

DISTRICT	EVENTS
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WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Since January 13th 2012, the Israeli army increased its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city entrance and the entrance to the Old City. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the ‘demarcation area’ along the Wall in the area surrounding occupied East Jerusalem and restricts access to local residents as well as to civilians holding special permits. (iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Ikxa villages. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba’ village. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the gate along the Wall section separating the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town. (iii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Ikxa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a “border crossing point” and designate a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and another for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city. • <u>Raid:</u> At 16:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Isawiya village, clashed with residents and
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	<p>detained 2 residents including a minor.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Musa Darwish (12 years) and Fadi Darwish during their raid into Al-Isawiya village. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town. (ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on Al-Shayyah road in the area between Al-Sawahira Al-Sharqiya and Al-Sawahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the areas north and south of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya west of the illegal settlement Ma 'ale Adumim.
<p style="text-align: center;">RAMALLAH & AL BIREH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. • <u>Raids:</u> At 01:45, Israeli forces raided Ramon village, opened fire towards 3 residents and critically injuring Rashad Shukhat (chest wound) , Akram Shukhat (neck wound) and Anwar Shukhat (leg wound). During which Israeli forces prevented Palestinian paramedics from reaching the injured and took them to a hospital inside Israel. • <u>Provocation of Palestinian Forces:</u> At 10:50, Israeli forces positioned at Al-Mahakam checkpoint near Bet El located north of AL-Bireh city detained several Police officers inside of their Police vehicle despite them having security clearance to pass and allowed them to pass through at 11:05. • <u>Demonstrations:</u> At 12:45, Family members of detainees and Palestinian peace activists marched near Ofar Prison in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons. During which they clashed with Israeli forces leaving 2 demonstrators injured and several others suffocating from teargas inhalation. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area west of 'Abud town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al-Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages.
<p style="text-align: center;">JENIN</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> At 07:15, Israeli forces setup a checkpoint at the entrance of Ya'bad. • <u>Raids:</u> At 23:40, Israeli forces raided Rummana village, stormed 2 homes then withdrew at 00:30. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 10:50, a group of Israeli settlers raided the previously abandoned settlement Homesh and withdrew at 12:30 under the protection of Israeli forces. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall.
<p style="text-align: center;">TUBAS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army continues to restrict Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint to between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:05, Israeli forces raided Khirbet Tel Al-Hima village, demolished 3 residential barracks owned by Mohammad Ayoub, Nimer Fuqaha and Anis Odeh. (ii) At 10:40, Israeli forces raided Ibziq village and stormed several homes. (iii) At 10:50, Israeli forces raided Al-Farisiya village, demolished 2 residential barracks owned by Ali Abu Muhsin and Hussien Abu Muhsin. (iv) At 13:10, Israeli forces raided Tamoun , demolished 2 residential barracks owned by Suliman Basharat and Kanaan Basharat. (v) At 19:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Aqaba until 19:20. (vi) At 21:15, Israeli forces raided Tayasir village.
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army continues to increase their restrictions on Palestinian access at 'Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarm-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, undercutting access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Land levelling for adjustment of the Wall route continued in the area surrounding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court decision, the new Wall route will be constructed west of the village.
QALQILYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of the town of Azzun (ii) In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second <i>Intifada</i>, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:10 and again at 18:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Jit village junction until 21:30. (ii) At 11:55 and again at 18:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Jinsafut village (iii) At 14:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Hajja village junction. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 14:50, Israeli forces raided Hajja village. (ii) At 24:00, Israeli forces raided Azzun, stormed a home then withdrew at 00:40. • <u>Detention:</u> At 09:00, Israeli forces detained Hisham Adwan, a resident of Azzun as he was reporting to Israeli intelligence. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 09:20, a group of Israeli settlers raided Kafr Laqif under the protection of Israeli forces and rummaged through the area in search of archaeological sites during which Israeli forces confiscated several residents' identification cards including the head of the village council as they were attempting to prevent the settler assault and forced them to leave the area. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, using a metal detector.

	<p>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Al-Rasha and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army allows residents to access the village through Gate #109. Having removed the gate at the entrance to the village of Ras Atiya; the Israeli army only allows students to cross to their schools outside the village through the Habla gate.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in Kafr Laqef village north of Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Imanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma'ale Shomron settlement.
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: (i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Till-Burin and BeitFurik-Salem; the settler bypass road connecting the village of Deir al Hatab to the settlement of Alon Moreh; the road connecting the town of 'Aqraba to the village of Osrin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osrin. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to Qabalan town; the southern entrances to the town of Jamma'in and the villages of Duma and Qaryut. • Checkpoints: (i) At 05:00Awarta commercial checkpoint, civilians are only allowed to cross between 05:00 and 20:00 and between 05:00 and 15:00 on Fridays. All vehicles can access the city of Nablus, but only commercial vehicles and ambulances can leave the city through the checkpoint. (ii) At 06:20, the Israeli army intensified its restrictions at Shave Shomron checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 07:00. • Raid: At 20:55, Israeli forces raided Qusra village, fired stun grenades towards residents then withdrew at 21:15. • Detention: At 12:00, Israeli forces detained Khalil Hashash (17 years), Fadi Hashash (16 years) and Abdallah Abu Shalal (17 years) near It-Mar settlement for allegedly carrying knives and fireworks. • Settler Violence: (i) At 08:55, a group of Israeli settlers raided Burin village under the protection of Israeli forces, stoned several vehicles, and injured Ayman Al-Najjar leaving him hospitalised with contusions. (ii) At 12:15, a group of Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli forces raided Awarta village.
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland. (ii) Since 14 November 2010, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city to civilian buses only. The entrance had been closed for seven years, and at 11:00, Israeli forces closed the entrance and impeded the free flow of traffic. • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to restrict access at Za'tara checkpoint and impede the free flow of traffic. • Flying Checkpoint: (i) At 09:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint beneath Iskaka village Bridge until 10:20. (ii) At 18:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the western entrance of Harris village

	<p>until 20:00.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between Jericho city and Al-Oja village with cement blocks. • Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces continue to restrict access through Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts, only allowing access to residents of Jericho District and the Jordan Valley area. (ii) Israeli forces continues to intensify its restrictions at the checkpoint set up on the junction to Al-Oja village, only allowing access to residents of the Jericho District and others with access permits. • Flying Checkpoint: At 19:50 and again at 03:15, Israeli force set up a checkpoint at the southern entrance of Jericho city until 04:15. • Raid: At 18:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Jiftlik village confiscated an excavator owned by Mutab Dahduh as it was digging a water well and sealed the water well.
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu'man village, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the village. (ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israel army has prevented civilians from accessing or staying on 22 dunums of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities. • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the BeitJala-Wadi Ahmed road; a road east of Beit Fajjar town; the road connecting Tuqu' town to Khirbet al Baq'a village; and the detour road connecting Wadi Fukin and Al Jab'a villages. (ii) Since 14:30 on January 10th 2012, the Israeli army closed a road leading to Taqou with dirt mounds. • Flying Checkpoint: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Janata junction. (ii) At 17:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Taqou. • Raid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 03:00 on March 26th 2012, Israeli forces raided Husan village, detained 2 minors, stormed the home of Mohammad Zaloul and summoned his brother Diya to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning. (ii) At 12:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Ubidiya , confiscated a vehicle, a hammer and a shovel owned by Yasser Abu Al-Nur as he was working in the area. • Attack: At 13:40 Israeli forces positioned at a watch tower near Suleiman's pool in Irtas village fired stun grenades towards residents. • Detention: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 20:55, Israeli forces detained Mohammad Zaghlul, a residents of Husan village as he was reporting to Israeli intelligence near Kafir Atsiyon settlement after receiving a summon from Israeli forces after they raided his village at 03:30 on March 26th 2012. (ii) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Hamza (17 years) and Mohammad Abdel Aziz (17 years) during their raid into Husan village. • Physical Assault: At 19:55, Israeli forces positioned at Container checkpoint assaulted Omar Abu Aliyan leaving him hospitalised with contusions

Hebron	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued northwest of Beit Jala town. • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close Al-Shuhada' Street, Al-Sahleh and Khuzq Al-Far areas, as well as the old gold market in Hebron's Old City. In addition to closing the entrance to Al-Qeisi neighbourhood, the Israeli army continues to close the entrances to the area of Al-Hisba (the fruits and vegetables market) with an electronic gate; Al-Laban Market also remains closed. (ii) Since 05 January 2009, the Israeli army has closed the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta. Having seized land for Wall construction, the Israeli army evicted the Palestinian residents and denied them. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Al-Thahiriya and Al-Samoa' towns, Al-'Arrub refugee camp, and Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil villages. (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City. (iii) The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as detour roads along the settler bypass road leading to Yatta town. (iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds a detour road leading to the entrance to Al-Simiya village access to the area. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Hadab Al-Aqla area located in north of Al-Thahriya. (ii) At 11:30 and again at 18:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Farsh Al-Hawa located in north Hebron. (iii) At 11:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Samou. (iv) At 14:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the northern entrance of Al-Thahriya until 17:45. (v) At 16:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Awa. (vi) At 21:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Al-Urub camp • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:10 and again at 00:20, Israeli forces raided Hebron, stormed a merchant shop then withdrew at 02:35. (ii) At 14:20, Israeli forces raided Deir Musa area in Surif and served a demolition order to demolish water wells owned by Hussein Othman. (iii) At 22:45, Israeli forces raided Al-Ras area in Ithna and opened random fire. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.
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GAZA STRIP

<p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, the unilateral ceasefire declared by Israel came into effect. At a later time on the same day, armed Palestinian groups announced an agreement to cease fire. The ceasefire has been further renewed on 13 March 2012 at 01:00. • On 14.12.2011, Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against pass beyond the mark. • Israeli forces broke the cease fire agreement by raiding and opening fire towards Central Gaza.
<p style="text-align: center;">NORTHERN GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u> Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for humanitarian assistance, journalists and international access.
<p style="text-align: center;">GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. (ii) Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.
<p style="text-align: center;">CENTRAL GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> At 08:00, Israeli forces escorting 3 military bulldozers raided Al-Buriej camp, entered 200 meters and opened fire towards agricultural land as they levelled a plot of land.
<p style="text-align: center;">RAFAH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. • Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students and passengers with permits. • Sufa Crossing is closed. • Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas, 21 truckloads of wheat, 20 imported vehicles and construction material for internationally funded projects.